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### MINUTES OF THE

# LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Tuesday, July 16, 2013 – 3:00 p.m. – Room 445 State Capitol

#### **Members Present:**

President Wayne L. Niederhauser, Chair Speaker Rebecca D. Lockhart, Vice Chair

Sen. J. Stuart Adams Sen. Gene Davis Sen. Patricia W. Jones Sen. Peter C. Knudson Sen. Karen Mayne Sen. Ralph Okerlund

Rep. Joel K. Briscoe

Sen. Luz Robles

Rep. Rebecca Chavez-Houck

Rep. Tim M. Cosgrove

Rep. Brad L. Dee

Rep. Gregory H. Hughes

Rep. Don Ipson

Rep. Jennifer M. Seelig

### **Staff Present:**

Mr. Michael E. Christensen, Director Mr. John L. Fellows, General Counsel

Ms. Phalin L. Flowers, Administrative Assistant

Note: A list of other present, a copy of related materials, and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at www.le.utah.gov.

#### 1. **Committee Business**

Chair Niederhauser called the meeting to order at 3:55 p.m.

**MOTION:** Speaker Lockhart moved to approve the minutes of the June 18, 2013 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles and Rep. Ipson absent for the vote.

#### 2. **Consideration of Policy Regarding Legislative Procurement**

Mr. Robert Rees, Associate General Counsel, Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel distributed and discussed "Legislative Management Committee Policy on Legislative Procurement," "Small Purchase Thresholds for Proposed LMC Procurement Policy," and "Four Main Areas Addressed by Proposed Legislative Management Committee Policy on Legislative Procurement."

Speaker Lockhart voiced concerns with "Section 2.2. Procurement requiring Legislative Management Committee approval" of the proposed policy.

MOTION: Speaker Lockhart moved to amend "Legislative Management Committee Policy on Legislative Procurement" as follows:

- On page 4, under Section 2.2, add "(1) Except as provided in Subsection (2)," at the beginning of the paragraph, and
- On page 4, under Section 2.2, add a new paragraph at the end of the first paragraph that reads "(2) Subsection (1) does not apply if the legislative procurement unit is the Utah Senate, the House of Representatives, or the Legislature."

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

MOTION: Speaker Lockhart moved to approve "Legislative Management Committee Policy on Legislative Procurement" as amended. The motion passed unanimously.

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# 3. Other Items / Adjourn

MOTION: Speaker Lockhart moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Niederhauser adjourned the meeting at 4:13 p.m.